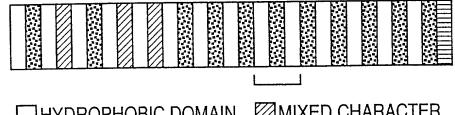
FIG. 1A



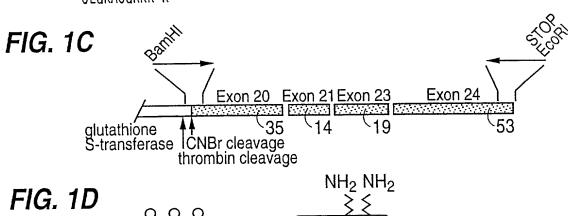
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MIXED CHARACTER

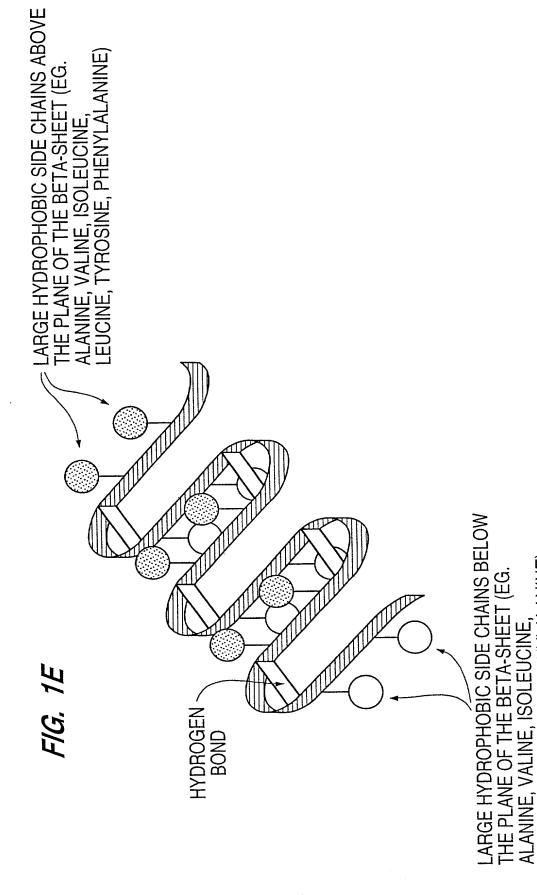
■C-TERMINAL DOMAIN **國CROSSLINKING DOMAIN**

FIG. 1B

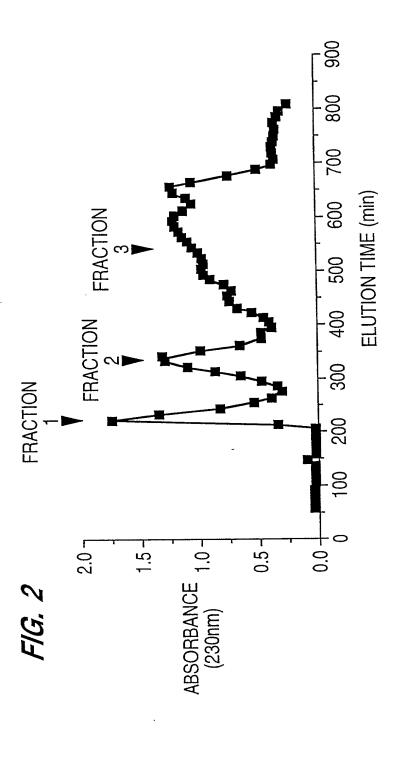
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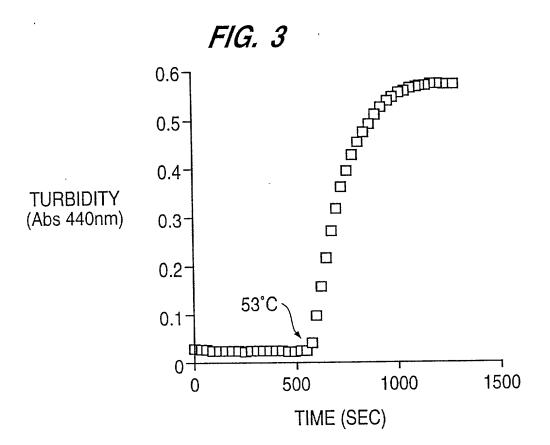


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ALANINE, VALINE, ISOLEUCINE, LEUCINE, TYROSINE, PHENYLALANINE)





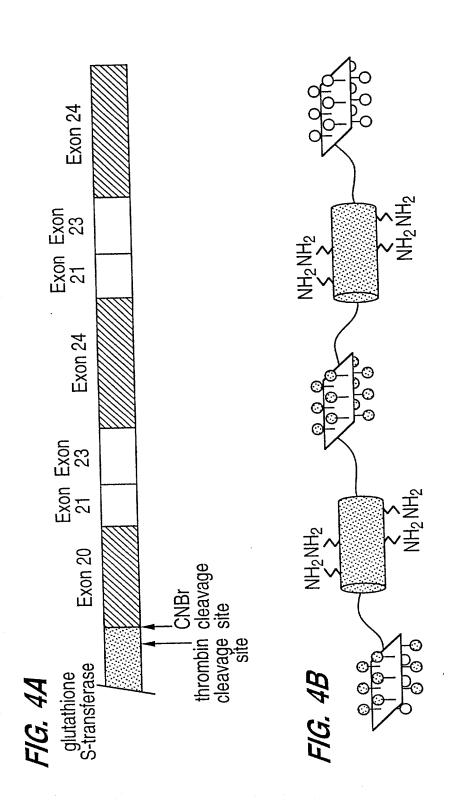


FIG. 4C

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FIGURE 5A

| PGFGVGVGGI | PGVAGVPGVG | GVPGVGGVPG | VGISPEAQAA |
|------------|------------|------------|------------|
| AAAKAAKYGV | GTPAAAAAKA | AAKAAQFGLV | PGVGVAPGVG |
| VAPGVGVAPG | VGLAPGVGVA | PGVGVAPGVG | VAPAIGP |
| FIGURE 5B | | | |
| FPGFGVGVGG | IPGVAGVPGV | GGVPGVGGVP | GVGISPEAQA |
| AAAAKAAKYG | VGTPAAAAAK | AAAKAAQFGL | VPGVGVAPGV |
| GVAPGVGVAP | GVGLAPGVGV | APGVGVAPGV | GVAPAIGP |
| FIGURE 5C | | | |
| PGFGVGVGGI | PGVAGVPGVG | GVPGVGGVPG | VGISPEAQAA |
| AAAKAAKYGV | GTPAAAAAKA | AAKAAQFGLV | PGVGVAPGVG |
| VAPGVGVAPG | VGLAPGVGVA | PGVGVAPGVG | VAPAIGPEAQ |
| AAAAAKAAKY | GVGTPAAAAA | KAAAKAAQFG | LVPGVGVAPG |
| VGVAPGVGVA | PGVGLAPGVG | VAPGVGVAPG | VGVAPAIGP |